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Thank you for your letter dated _____, concerning
our Model _____.

The Model Seven was designed (The Model 700 is currently
manufactured) without a bolt lock because our market research
over the past years has shown that customer interest in the bolt
lock feature has declined. Elimination of the bolt lock permits
the bolt handle to be raised when the safety switch is either in
the "S" or "F" position, simplifying loading and unloading. To
date, adverse public reaction to the absence of a bolt lock on
our bolt action rifles has been ~~almost nonexistent~~ *limited*.

The ease with which you describe your bolt handle opening
does not coincide with the experience we have gained from
function testing our rifles before shipment. The action is
designed to be smooth, but if you have any question as to
whether the smooth operation of your gun is excessive, please
send it for a free examination to one of our Remington Warranty
Gunsmith's listed on the sheet herewith enclosed.

Thank you for giving us this opportunity to be of
service.

Very truly yours,

Enclosure

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